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10. English translation Document (if applicable)

11. Information Disclosure Statement Copies of IDS Citations

12. Preliminary Amendment

13. Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)

14. Small Entity Status is claimed.

15. Claim for Convention Priority [4] Certified copies of Priority Documents are enclosed.

a. Priority of Japanese Application No. 2001-139678 filed on May 10, 2001 is claimed under 35 USC 119.
b. Priority of Japanese Application No. 2001-140137 filed on May 10, 2001 is claimed under 35 USC 119.
c. Priority of Japanese Application No. 2001-140835 filed on May 11, 2001 is claimed under 35 USC 119.
d. Priority of Japanese Application No. 2002-31668 filed on February 8, 2002 is claimed under 35 USC 119.

16. Other _____

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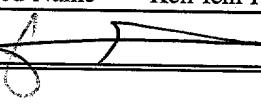


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